

## House Resolution No. 402

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to recognize those Show-Me State students who bring glory and honor to themselves and to this great state through the excellence of their achievements as they gain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners and future societal leaders; and

**Whereas**, the students in the Center of Differentiated Education (CODE) program in the Hickman Mills C-1 School District of Kansas City have distinguished themselves with a Service Learning project entitled, “Be the Driving FORCE Behind the Wheel” by Driving Focused, On alert, Responsibly, Considerately, and Empowered; and

**Whereas**, the CODE Student Leadership Team responsible for script writing, editing, film shoots, graphics, logo design, pre/post survey development, promotion, assembly presentation, and Peace Jam presentation includes Project Leader Jessica Adutwum, Project Leader Jessica Pugh, Kayleigh Knapp, Johnathan Decker, Richard Fischbach, Elisa Brown, Darrick Diehl, Megan Myrick, Weston Schartz, Kalie Laidley, Curtis Diehl, Laura Harger, Nicki Stamets, Frances Brown, Davina Adutwum, Amanda Snow, Trevor Lowry, Nicole Huitt, Erica Collins, Sara Anson, Nate Taylor, Brittney Olcott, Shaleah Gines, and Enchante Garner; and

**Whereas**, CODE Program teachers who facilitated such student project needs as transportation, supplies, and scheduling include Lois Hutchins, Peggy Peterson, and Stephanie Hill; and

**Whereas**, the Hickman Mills CODE Program was one of only twenty-five student groups in the country to be selected to create a video for a national advertising campaign; and

**Whereas**, the FORCE video was produced with financial underwriting from State Farm’s Project Ignition program and includes information for teenagers concerning distracted driving, aggressive driving, drinking and driving, wearing seatbelts, and making good decisions when behind the wheel of an automobile:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the success garnered thus far by the students and teachers involved in the Hickman Mills CODE Program and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body’s most heartfelt best wishes as the FORCE video project continues through the competitive process; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the 2004-2005 Hickman Mills C-1 School District’s CODE Program.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Cathy Jolly  
District No. 45

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 402, adopted February 9, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker